

Support VoC

Development of a Generic Support Services Model to enhance the Rights of Victims of Crime

"The victim is not able to obtain compensation for what she/he suffered, any provision are paid from the condemned people who often don't have any capital and incomes."(Italy)

"There isn't a clear circuit for these victims and then, this support that perhaps should be given by the public sector, is being taken on by organisations."(Spain)

"The witness protection process, provided for in the legislation, is not implemented in practice."(Greece)

"The main challenge that should be addressed is the generalization of the term "victim" and the development of more services for the support to all victims of any criminal act."(Cyprus)

"Unfortunately, the system aiming to recognize and provide support to the victims has yet to be changed in a way that it no longer revictimizes the survivors on a psychosocial level."(Bulgaria)

*findings from the focus groups and interviews conducted in all partner countries during the field research

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